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extermination of the whole tribe for the

he had not grown up to, and whose vir-tues he could not appreciate. Practically

the whole question as to the treatment of the Indians is not one of philanthropy, but

of political economy. The problem should be studied, not in the rose-colored atmos-

be studied, not in the rose-colored atmos-phere of sentiment, but in the clear, cold light of science and statesmanship. And, looked at in that light, it is evident that the murder of General Canby and Dr. Thomas was the legitimate result of the

miserable no-policy which has always characterized our dealings with the In-

for the recent removal of the Charleston

in his stead of an incompetent colored

who was highly esteemed, and for whose continuance in office the citizens, with-

out distinction of party, had carnestly pe-

a school director for St. Clairsville on Monday last, by a unanimous vote. A well merited compliment. There is no one in our midst better suited for the position.—Gazette.

man. Mr. BRYANT remarks :

act of a half dozen men. The savage in

WHEELING, W. VA., FRIDAY MORNING, APRIL 18, 1873.

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The Intelligencer.

Rosring Gently in the Market St.

The Register says it has on its table " amunication written by one of the most talented and earnest Democrats in the State, in relation to the general character of the acts of the present Legislature. The writer is a man whom nothing can swerve from his devotion to the principles of the Democratic party and who could not be induced by any consideration to vote for a Radical in any contest in which political principles are involved. He is, however, dissatisfied with the proceedings of the present Legislature, and in the letter referred to expresses his opinion in very foreible terms." We should expect that such an independent and fearless journal as the Register would print such a letter instead of giving it a chilling reception like this. principles of the Democratic party and

giving it a chilling reception like this. But instead of printing it, our neighbor goes on to remonstrate with the writer for talking so plainly. It really will not do to call things by their right names. "Critleism," to be admitted to the Register's columns must be "friendly." As Bully Bottom would say, correspondents mus

"Bottom—Let me play the lion too; I will rear that; will do any man's heart good to hear me; I will roar, that; will make the Dake say 'Led lan roar again, let him roa sagain' Quin—An you should do it too terribly, you would frighten the duches and the ladies, that they would shrink; and that were enough to hang

Turning Over a New Leaf.

This is being done every day by some-body. They may not express it in just this way, but boys and girls, men and women, are resolving each day to do betwomen, are resolving each day to do better than they have done. There is a man
who has been idle and has not supported
his family because of his idleness. He
feels his wrong and is resolved to go to
work, to be industrious; he turns over a
new leat. There is another, who has
squandered his money in drink; he sees
the effect of it upon himself and on his family; he is determined to reform and not drink another glass; he has turned not drink another glass; no has dried over a new leaf. A young man goes to billiard saloons, or what is worse, is learning to gamble; it gives anxiety to his parents, and pains his friends; he sees it, and says, "I'll give it up," and turns over a new leaf. A boy at school or college neglets his horse gloss and study. over a new teat. A boy at sensol or col-lege neglects his books—does not study, but manages to get through the term somehow; a moment comes to him in which he sees how unwise he is, he be-comes studious; he has larged over various callings or duties of his, and had those who were making mistakes, but to whom a supreme moment had come when they resolved to do differently, and turn a new leaf, begin anew and do bet-It is as if a man kept a diary, and, ter. It is as if a man kept a diary, and, in looking ever its pages, filled out day by day, he saw the errors and mistakes he had made, and he turns over a new leaf, one that is white and clean; it has not been written on, nor stained by a single blot, and he means to make it the tablet of a better report than the others hear. A manya daily life is a dairy, a recbear. A man's daily life is a dairy, a rec-ord of daily ovents. The occurrence of yesterday do not belong to to-day; he be-gies anew each morning, and if the pur-pose of improvment or reform is in his heart; if he is resolved to be better, truer, steadier than he has been before, he turns ove a new leaf. And he can do it; every one can do it; the wrongs of the past need not hinder or prevent the right of the present or future. Men get discouraged A man's daily life is a dairy, a rec ent or future. Men get discouraged etimes, because they have tried to do ight and failed; but that is no reason right and fatied; but that is no reason why a man should not try again. If a man has done wrong all his life, broken ten thousand pledges, and is black with sin, he may turn over a new leaf, and everybody, God, angels and man, will rejoice.—Pov. Journal.

Friendly Comments.

To the Editors of the Intelligence.

The Register of yesterday announces that it will only publish riendly comments on the infamous and sulcidal doings of the Legislature. That paper has recently received letters from all parts of the State denouncing the Legislature. These letters were written by Democrats of prominence and standing, who did not wish to see their party demolished in the attempt to screen the Public Printer or his \$230 employe. A Barbour county gentleman (probably Samuel Woods, Esq.) at last brings the Register on its knees, and in half a column of drivil it attempts to defend a Legislature that has expended nearly one hundred thousand dollars, and has not passed half a dozen bills worth the paper they were printed on, and surely not worth what the Public Printer charged to print them. Democrats who write for the Register must write "friendly comments." crats who write for the region write "friendly comments."

DEMOCRAT.

"It was but the other day that the people of Charleston sent a formal invitation to the President of the United States to visit South Carolina. He declined the civility, and at the same time removed the postmaster at Charleston, Mr. Trott, who was highly exteemed, and for whose On the Central Ohio Division of the B & O. Railroad, (from Columbus to Bellaire) there are 24 tolegraph offices in operation, and two more are soon to be openration, and two more are soon to be opened. To insure uniformity in time, each of these is to be supplied with a Seth Thomas Regulator. With its numerous telegraph offices and uniformity in time, this line of road will be singularly free throm secident and delay. Each day at two minutes before eleven the Columbus office begins to beat time and when eleven colock comes all the clocks on the line.

o'clock comes all the clocks on the line must be ticking in concert and the hands pointing to the same place on the dial—St. Clairsville Gazette.

Accident at Burton. — Two men near Burton's Station on the B. & O. R. R. were engaged in getting out crossities on Saturday last. One of the men, named Bolon, sat down on the tie they were working on. An ax in the hands of the other man who was still at work glanced and struck Bolon in the groin, severing the principal artery in the limb. Nothing could be done to check the flow from the severed artery and poor Bolon bled to death in a lew minutes.—Bellaire Independent.

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A Pretty Vigorous Treatment of the Modoc Question and the Order for

ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT. m the N. Y. Graphic.) Exclusively to the Intelligencer. The short-sighted and savage treachery of the Modocs has brought forth fruit after its own kind. They sowed to the wind, and now will have to reap the whirlwind. Dispatches from Washing-

(By the Western Union Line, orthwest cor. of Main and Mon

THE MODOC WAR.

Additional Particulars of the Mass-

whitwind. Dispatches from Washing-ington announce that the President has abandoned the policy of pacification, and authorizes the extremest measures of severity and vengence; and General Sherman has issued orders for the utter SAN FHANCISCO, April 17—The remains of Gen. Cauby and Dr. Thomas reached Yreka this evening. A procession of citizens went to receive them. Flags at half mast. Delano was hanged in effecty

half mast. Delano was hanged in effegy at Yreka. Gen: Canby's body is in charge of the Masons, and the body of Dr. Thoms will be sent to this city.

The following additional particulars of the massacre of the Peace Commissioners was received. Capt. Anderson was at Col. Masons camp when the attack was made on the Peace Commissioners party. Lieut. Sherwood and Doyle were altered out from camp by a white flag. arred out from camp by a white flag. They went four or five hundred yards They went four or five hundred yards where they met what they supposed were only two Indians, who said "want talk" "Little Tyee" Col. Mason! They were told they did not want to talk and for the Indians to go back to their camp and they would return to theirs. As they turned around, the Indians, four in number, fired upon them, wounding Lieut. ber, fred upon them, wounding Lieut.
Sherwood in the arm and thigh; the latter being a very serious wound, the bone
having been shattered by a bullet. Capt,
Anderson, who was on duty at the signal
station, on hospital rock, saw plainly the
attack upon Col. Mason's front and telegraphed to Gen. Gillem to notify the
Peace Commissioners immediately. Col.
Riddle who was at the signal station. dians. No uniform principle has every been consistently applied to our Indian relations. The Government has always played fast, and loose with them, a liternately petting and preying upon them; now caresing and now cursing them; at one time treating them as superior beings, and at another hunting them down as wild beasts. To outwit them in bargains, to rob them of aupplies, to steal their lands, to meet their confidence with treachery, and deal with them as though they had no rights white men were bound to respect, have been the only points in our ladian policy consistently aftered to from the first. The Indian has naturally and the superior skill and arts of an adversary who exasperated him beyond endors and the superior skill and arts of an adversary who exasperated him beyond endors and the superior skill and arts of an adversary who exasperated him beyond endors and the superior skill and arts of an adversary who exasperated him beyond endors and the superior skill and arts of an adversary who exasperated him beyond endors and the superior skill and arts of an adversary who exasperated him beyond endors and the superior skill and arts of an adversary who exasperated him beyond endors and the superior skill and arts of an adversary who exasperated him beyond endors and the superior skill and arts of an adversary who exasperated him beyond endors and the superior skill and arts of an adversary who exasperated him beyond endors and the superior skill and arts of an adversary who exasperated him beyond endors and the superior skill and arts of an adversary from the superior skill and arts of an adversary who exasperated him beyond endors and the superior skill and arts of an adversary from the superior skill and arts of an adversary and the superior skill and arts of an adversary and the superior skill and arts of an adversary and the superior skill and arts of an adversary and the superior skill and arts of an adversary and the superior skill and arts of an adversary and the superior skill and arts of an adver characterized our dealings with the in-dians. No uniform principle has ever been consistently applied to our In-dian relations. The Government has always played fast and loose with them, alternately petting and preying upon them; now caressing and now cursing

were not provided with supplies. Today will be spent in closing upon the red
devils and if a general assault is not made
to-day it certainly will be to-morrow.

San Francisco, April 17.—General
Schofield sends the following dispatch to
General Gillem:

"Please inform me fully of the situation
to I may send more troops, it necessary.

New York, do we set fire to the ward in which the thief resides, or hang the whole family to which the homicide belongs? And why should not Indians be treated like human beings! Why should we disgrace ourselves, and dishonor the nation, and outrage the moral sentiment of the civilized world by punishing the innocent for the deeds of the guilty? Shall we be savages because the Modocs have acted so badly? They have only bettered our instructions. The "Please inform me fully of the situation is of may send more troops, it necessary. Or it the Indians escape from the Lava Beds, I may send troops to operate against them from another direction. Let me know fully what you wish. I suppose you have force enough to destroy the outlaws unless they succeed in cluding you. Nothing short of their prompt and sure desurction will satisfy the ends of justice or meet the expectation of the govern-

the Modocs have seted so badly? They have only bettered our instructions. The whole Indian Bureau is a gigantic swindle. Almost every man who has ever had anything to do with the Indian Department has made himself rich. Every Indian contract has been a wholesale steal.

Every treaty with the Northern and Western tribes has been at their expense. They had good leason for looking on the white man as the Indian's devil., And even in this instance, while carrying on negotiations, General Canby had completely surrounded the tribe, and was slowly contracting his lines. The Indians saw perfidy, which excited perfidy in them. But their cowardly and treacher ones murders does not justify the Government in yielding to a paroxysm of revenge which dooms the innocent and guilty alike to one common destruction.

Mr. Bryant, the poet and editor of the New York Post, in one of his letters from the South, censures the President sharply will arrive there wednesday evening, New York Post, in one of his letters from the South, censures the President sharply for the recent removal of the Charleston (S. C.) Postmaster and the appointment in his stead of an incompetent colored his stead of an incompetent colored the South, censures the President sharply

to night. There is nothing definite from the seat of war. There had been no the seat of war. There had been no fighting up to the time he left. Supplies and amunition have been crowded forward. A dispatch says the surgeon extracted four bullets from Meacham's wounds. There is little hope of his recovery. There were various rumors as to when the attack would be made; some said to-day, some to-morrow. They are waiting for the arrival of the Warm Spring Indian scouts, to be used between the lines of Gen. Gillem and Col. Mason's commands. They, with the cavally, making the third line, advancing together from the north, southeast and together from the north, southeast and Lake West. It is believed the battle will be a hard one. No quarters will be shown the Modocs. The Pit River Indians re-main quiet and peaceful, but the Modoc escape will be dangerous.

FORT WAYNE.

FORT WAYNE, April 17,-Frank Swann FORT WAYER, April 17.—Frank Swann, who has been on trial before Judge Brack-enridge for assault and battery with intent to commit rape, was found guilty and the jury to-day found a verdict of imprisonment in the penitentiary for two

years.

The trial of John Flaugh, ex-trustee of Madison township, for embezzling the public money, is set for next Monday.

The "Peace Policy" in Arizona.

Arrest of a Supposed Noted New HAYANA, April 15.—Inspectors Haytien and Green of the London police and Mr. cood, a clerk is the Bank of England, ar-Good, a clerk is the Bank of England, ar-rived here on the steamship Morro Castle. A man named Oscar Wilson, who is sup-posed to be a celebated thief in New York, took passage on the same steamer shortly before her salling from New York. When the vessel had been to sea but a When the vessel had been to sea but a few hours, Green's trunk was opened and 40 sovereigns and some jewelry abstracted Purser Himond, of the Morro Casile, suspected Wilson of the robbery and kept watch on him, while others on the steamer suspected one of the waters. On Saturday evening, Wilson was invited to walk the deck, and while doing so, perhalos was the sate of the water to be a such a specific product of the sate of the water was the sate of the sate of the water was the sate of the sate of the water of the water was the sate of the water of the wate ons went below and inspected the satchel which Wilson brought on board the teamer. In the satchel was found a company, tooks and skeleton steamer. In the Sacuet was found a color plete set of burglars' tools and skeleton keys of beautiful form and workmanship. The Morro Castle arrived here on Sun-

day evening, and the passengers were prevented from landing on account of the lateness of the hour. While the prevented from Inding on account of the lateness of the hour. While the passengers were on deck Wilson went below and forced open the trunks of Hayden and Good and abstracted a quantity of papers and then hid the burglar tools under the closet in Green's room. Wilson's object undoubtedly was to get hold of the documents in the hands of the inof the documents in the hands of the in-spectors relating to the lorgeries of Bid-well in London. After the first attempt to rob their trunks the Londoners re-moved the papers and kept them about their persons. The clerk of the dank of England has identified Bidwell ns the man who opened an account with the bank, and the English detectives have also identified him as a noted char-The Havana authorities have ar acter. The Havan authorities have arrested Wilson on charge of burglary. The crime was committed inside the harbor of Havana, the case is consequently under Spanish jurisdiction. The English detectives and British Consul have completely baffled the efforts of Bidwell's

friends to obtain his release.

The first Protestant Easter service ever held on the shore of Cuba took place on Sunday last.

The Wreck of the Atlantic. HALIPAX, April 17.—The custom authorities are proceeding against the parties known to have plundered the Atlantic dead or stolen goods from the wreck. The Dominion government hearing that the White Star Line have not made provision for the burial of the dead bodies yet to be received, has ordered the Collector of red, has ordered the Collector of ustoms to attend to it at the public ex-

HALIFAX, April 17.—The weather being favorable to-day, the divers renewed their search for bodies, and up to the time the steam tug left Prospect, 42 had been recovered. They were all unrecbeen recovered. They were all unrecognized steerage passengers, and principally women and children; they were
buried without delay, the White Star
agents having made all necessary errangements, and the Dominion Government agrees to pay a share of the expense. There is enough cargo saved to load
the steamer sent from New York. Capt.
Williams, Mr. Brady and Mr. Pennelland
others came up from the wreek to night Williams, Mr. Brady and Mr. Pennelland others came up from the wreck to night to be present when the decision of the court of enquiry is given to morrow. It is reported that the bodies of a woman and child drifted ashore near Luncaburg. Mr. Todd, who lost his father and mother on the Atlantic, arrived this morning from Chicago in search of their remains and property. The body of the father had been recovered and buried at Prospect, and the money found of the father had been recovered and buried at Prospect, and the money found on his body restored to his son. Warrants were issued yesterday for a man named Slaughen White and his three sons, residents of Prospect, suspected of pilfering the wreck. A quantity of baggage was found in the father's possession, including some identified as the property Wise Schywner.

Weather Report. WAR DEPARTMENT, UFFICE OF THE UNITE SIGNAL OFFICE WASHINGTON, D. C., April 17.—7:50 p. m.

Miss Schrymser.

PROBABILITIES. The areas of the low barometer in Ohio The areas of the low barometer in Onlo and Illinois will extend on Friday over the lower lakes, and that over New Jersey, will move northeastward toward Cape Cod. For New England, northerly and easterly winds with rain. For the lower lakes, winds back to southerly with rain. The barometer will continue to fall in Northwest with southerly wide and a Northwest with southerly winds and a The barometer will continue to fail in Northwest, with southerly winds and a rising temperature over Minnesota and Lake Superior. For the Southern States a rising temperature and partially cloudy and clear weather. Cautionary signals continue at Milwankee, Chicago, Grand Haven, Detroit, Toledo, Cleveland, Bulfalo, Rochester, Oswego, New York, New Haven, New London and Boston.

BAN FRANCISCO, April 17 .- The preva-Ban Francisco, April 17.—The preva-lence of the epizootic at Sacramento, stopped the running of the cars to-day. A Chinese small-pox patient, escaped from the pest shouse and ran naked in the street. Cars on the Bay View road crowded with ladies and gentlemen pas-sengers, the conductors all fled, and the driver went rapidly with the cars until he met a Mexican, who lasseed the Chi-naman and led him back to the pest house, giving the patient all the rope he wanted.

wanted.

Every horse at Hot Springs, Surprise
Valley and Big Valley are down with the

Valley and Big Valley are down with the epizootic.

The Hilbers of the Pope.

Rome, April 17.—The Pope is still suifering and it is known there is no improvement in his condition. To day, persons who have been admitted into the presence of his Holiness, make the most contradictory reports in relation to his illness. The Italian Government exhibits anxiety in relation to the malady of the Holy Father. A courier has left the Valican for Germany, with instructions for the guidance of the Roman Catholic Bishops in that country in case of the demise of that country in case of the demise of

Death of a Press Agent and Former

MASHVILLE, April 17.—William Henry
Smith, sgent of the Western Associated
Press, and an old journalist of this city, ded this morning at 5 o'clock, after a protracted illness. He was formerly editor of the Huntsville Adocate, Nashville Gazette, Nashville Banner, Nashville Priot, and during the war editor of the Nashville Union.

Cashville Union.

Considerable disturbance this atternoon at Kuightsville. About 5 o'clock, while a Greek fee fight was in progress, several arrests were made by two policemen, when a particular to design to death because the little fellow rescued the prisoners. Further disturbance is expected to night.

Charles of the Gibbs of the Greek feel of the Mashville Banner, Nashville Priot.

Railroad Subscription Refused.

DAYTON, O., April 17.—The people of acedet to West Point from the 10th District, there were 17 in the class. Bruce

NEW YORK CITY.

New York, April 17.—A police guard stationed inside of the New York gas is stationed inside of the New York gas works to prevent the strikers from gain-ing entrance and destroying the property. William Blakely, of New Castle on the Tyne, the special backer of Taylor Win-ship of the champion crew of England, offers to find a four oared crew to row with any other four in the world over the championship course on the river Tyne, from £200 to £500 a side; or to back Winship and his partner to row any other two men living, over the same course for

similar sum. Thomas W. Field, Superintendent of the Public Schools in Brooklyn, has brought s suit against the Brooklyn Union to reover \$100,000 for an alleged libel, in incover \$100,000 for an alleged libes, in in-timations in an editorial that the plaintiff secured his election as Superintendent in a shameful and dishonorable manner through the influence of Thos. Kinsella. Certain statements in the same paper re-specting Mrs. Field will, it is said, form the basis of another suit for libel.

The different posts of the Grand Army

The different posts of the Grand Army of the Republic in this city will be delegated to a meeting to be held April 23d to make arrangements for the decoration of soldiers' graves on May 20th.

Among the passengers booked for the ill-fated steamer Atlantic, was an aged lady named Mrs. Eider wald, of Philadelphia and dampter. Through some acciphia, and daughter. Through some acci-dent the mother was detained in London. dent ine mother was detailed in London, while the daughter, anxious to rejoin her husband and children, would not be delayed, and embarked on the Atlantic and was drowned. Mrs. E. salled on the Tresis, expecting to meet her daughter here, but on arriving learned of her daughter's fate. The shock prostrated the mother so that of General Babcock, requesting contributions for suppressing election fraud and to reimburse the Treasury for mone paid out for election purposes. It is understood the President intends to remove the office holders who contributed.

the spaces preserated the mother so that she now lies in a precarious condition. The Park Commissioners are consider-ing the model for the monument propos-ed to be erected in commemoration of the members of the Seventh Regiment who

fell during the late war.

The gasmen on a strike held a meeting to-day, at which address counseling ing to day, at which address counseling pursuvarence were made. The satinated cost to the men out has been \$8,000, but the funds of the Society are still represented to be in a flourishing condition.

G. De Merson, formerly a leather deal-

NEW ORLEANS, April 17.—It is under-stood that 100 Metropolitans, armed as infantry, and a battery of two Napoleous, left this city for the interior, it is stip posed for Colfax, the federal authorities having refused troops after repeated aper in Boston, was arrested here to-day, charged with defrauding the Naverick and other National Banks out of \$15,000 by notes with forged endorsements.

Ohio Legislature.

Columbus, April 17.—In the Senate this atternoon the bill amending the gambling act so as to specifically include faro and keno was passed—yeas 25, nays 5. This bill is similar in its provisions for fines and penalties as the Adair liquor law and Little lottery act. A resolution was offered commending the Centennial Echibition to the appeals of Ohle and was offered commending the Centennal Exhibition to the people of Ohio, and asking the Ohio members of Congress to give their support to, the measures intended to promote said exposition. The resolution was laid on the table. A resolution was adopted calling on Clerks of Courts for use at the Constitutional Convention for information as to the number of causes commenced in the several ber of causes commenced in the several Courts of record in Ohio for 1870, 1871 Courts of record in Ohio for 1870, 1871 and 1872, the number of terms of Court held and the days of each session, number of causes finally disposed of at each term, number of days each Judge was sitting in any of said Courts and the days each were employed in open Court.

In the House, after a long discussion, Hare's Senate bill to provide for the sale of swamp lands in Ohio and the applications.

is expected. The Chinese are intensely excited. The riot grew out of the recent murder of the Chinese court interpreter, of swamp lands in Ohio and the application of the proceeds thereof to the agri-cultural college fund, failed to pass. This evening the members of the House and a large number of visitors assembled in the House of Representatives to witness the presentation of an elegant gold watch

and chain with handsome seals attached to Hon. H. Van Vorhes, Speaker of the House, by his fellow members and the officers of the House. The presentation speech was made by Hon. Wm. H. Ball, and was appropriately responded to by Mr. H. Van Vorhes. Hon. S. S. Cox, of New York, who was present, on being called on, made a few remarks in his usual happy manner.

The Contest over the Proposed Lease of the C., C., C. & I. Railroad.

CLEVELAND, O., April 17.—L. M. Bar-w, as attorney for the directors of the ., C. C. & I. Railroad, has filed a reainder in the United States Circuit Court joinder in the United States Circuit Court in reply to the complaint of the stock-holders of said road. Mr. Barlow says it is not desired or proposed that any ar-rangement shall be made between the two companies which is not mutually the night watchman. advantageous and beneficial, or which will in any manner effect or impair any will in any manner effect or impair any existing contract or arrangement now legally binding upon the Cleveland road. Detroit & Milwaukee Railroad, was the cancer the allegation in the bill of complaint as to the insolvency of the A. & G. W. R. R, and says he has been incorred that a lease of the C. C., C. & L. R. R, similar to the one proposed by the A. & G. W. R. R, has been in contemplation many years by the Lake Shore & A. & G. W. R. R, has been in contemplation many years by the Lake Shore & A. & G. W. R. R. A similar to the one proposed by the A. & G. W. R. A similar to the one proposed by the A. & G. W. R. A similar to the one proposed by the A. & G. W. R. A similar to the one proposed by the A. & G. W. R. A similar to the one propos A. & W. K. K. has been in contemplation many years by the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railroad, and he believes this suit is begun partially or wholly at the expense of the Lake Shore Company to defeat an honest administration of the affairs of the Cleveland Company by its own atechholders.

pany by its own stockholders. FIRES.

CHICAGO, April 17.—A fire at Plainfield, Will county, Illinois, on Tuesday, entirely destroyed the Plainfield College. The loss is estimated at \$10,000; msurance \$3,000. The fire is believed to be the work of an incendiary, there having been considerable feeling against the location.

—Vice President Wilson is reported to to have said Wednesday, that peade with the Modocs was now out of the question, and they should be exterminated at any cost; still, the peace policy should, not be abandoned in dealing with other In-Grant, one of the proprietors of the Plank, Ridge Collery and Walter Gibbs, inside boss were killed by falling off the roof near the slope while examining it to see if it was safe. John Lafiln, and Michael Monoghan, laborers, were injured.

Further Disturbances at Knights-

INDIANAPOLIS, April 17.—There was siderable disturbance this atternoon at

Project for a Convention of Western FOREIGN. St. Louis, April 17.—The project which has been on foot here for some weeks past to call a Convention of Western and

ton via the M. K. & F. and Texas Central roads and return through a portion of Kansas, bouquets, steamboat excursions

How Government Office Holders were Swindled. New York, April 17.—Col. Whitely tates that one of his officers has arrested

LOUISIANA.

Weather cloudy and threatening.

lay were \$358,241,450.

—The bullion in the Bank of England decreased £440,000 in the past week. The specie in the Bank of France increased

—Senator Bayard has paid his extra compensation as a member of the 42nd Congress into the U. S. Treasury.

—Chas. Baulch, one of the men accused of stealing from the New York City Comptroller's office and destroying bindles of youchers representing nearly \$15,000,000, two years ago, died Wednesday

night.

—There were eleven bids for gold at New York yesterday, amounting to \$2,-180,000, at from 116.41 to 117.51. The government sold a million and a half of gold at 117.38 to 117.51.

-At Pottsville, Pa., Thursday, Wm.

—Geo. W. C. Johnson, newly elected Mayor of Cincinnati was inagurated

night. a

1,000,000 francs in the past week. -The boiler in the heading factory of Cobb & Co., at Schoolcraft, Mich., exVIENNA.

Delay in Completion of the Exposi-tion Palaces-When Visitors Should Go.

(Herald Cable Special.)

Southern Congressmen to consider the questions of general and special interest to the States and the Mississippi Valley, to be held here some time next month, was discussed to-day by the Board of Directors of the Merchants' Exchange. A Vienna, April 17.—The exposition building is in a backward state, and cannot possibly be finished by the first of May. The roof of the dome is incomplete. rectors of the Merenhaus Exchange. A committee was appointed to wait upon the Mayor and city government and ask their co-operation, and also to devise a plan for carrying out a programme, for the reception and entertainment of the delegates, and report to another and goneral meeting of the citizens on Saturday next. There was a unanimous appurousl of project and an all the laborers being concentrated in the endeavor to finish the rotunds for a formal opening, which must be on the last of May, that being the day on which the sove-reigns are invited. No other portion of the building will be ready. The con-struction will continue after the opening. izens on Saturday next. There was a unanimous approval of project and an earnest desire expressed that the Convention should be held. Congressman Wells said one hundred or two hundred and fifty Congressmen would be present, and he would prepare the list of topics to be discussed by the Convention. The programme for the entertainment of delegates is expected to embrace a trip to Galveston via the M. K. & F. and Taxas Central The direction is energetic, but the lab is inferior. Visitors, to economize time ENGLAND.

Reported Murder of Sir Samuel Ba

LORDON, April 17—A painful rumor comes from Alexandria, to the effect that samuel Baker and wife have been murdered by the natives. Sir is amuel ac-companied by his wife took the Egyptian

Expedition up the Nile.

LONDN, April 17.—The rumor of the murder of Sir Samuel Baker and his murder of Sir Samuel Baker and his wile causes much uneasiness at the For-eign Office. The Government has receiv-ed no information whatever in relation to the occurrence. Earl Granville has tele-graphed to Alexandria, making inquiry into the origin of the report.

A severe thunder storm occurred yes-terday in Wales. Gross were injured and

states that one of his officers has arrested in Washington's man styling himself Rev.

J. Hale Barney, and one button, a printer, for swindling government office holders in the name of the President. The prisoners are said to be authors # a circular purporting to emanate from the Executive Mansion and bearing the forged signature of General Rabocok. requesting contributions A severe tunder storm occurred yearerday in Wales. Crops were in jured and several persons killed by lightning.

Lendon, April 17.—George Bidwell and Edwin Noyes, alleged participants in the frands on the Bank of England, were again brought before the Lord Mayor this afternoon for examination. Beward T. Acker of New York, of the coursel for the bank during the examination of Moof General Babcock, requesting contribuhe bank during the examination of Mo Donald in that city, was present and pro-duced documentary evidence in the case Examination further adjourned and the Proops for the Seat of the Grant Parish War.

New Orleans, April 17.—It is under

Paris, April 17.—A dispatch from Car-list sources says a band of Spanish Insur-gents under Darregarray made a sharp assault on Onate, and after a short con-flict encoded in cashing procession. NEW YORK, April 17.—A New Orlict succeeded in gaining possession of

leans special states that United States troops left yesterday for Grant Parish, and will be stationed along the banks of the river to prevent further trouble. agreed upon M. Lipman as their candidate for the vacancy, in the representation of Paris in the National Assembly.

GERMANY.

CINCINNATI, April 17.—River 31 feet and falling. Arrived, the Pat. Bogers, from Memphis, and Andes, from Wheel-ing. Departed, the J.-W. Garrett, for New Orleans; Juniata, for Pittsburgh. BERLIN, April 17.—The Count Vor Araim, the German Ambassades at Paris will be transferred to London and Gener-al Manteuffel, commanding the German Weather cloudy and threatening.
Privaling, April 17.—River falling
gradually with 8 feet, 3 inches of water
in the channel. The Allegheny is falling.
At Oil City a light drizzling rain has
fallen during a great part of the day. the evacuation of French territory by the German troops have been completed. orces in France to be his successor, when

LIVERPOOL, April 17—The steamers Weser, Moravian, St Laurent and Amer-ica arrived out. Arrived the steamers Bremen and Saxonia from Hamburg SAN FERNCISCO, April 17.—A serious riot occurred to night at Sacramento, among the Chinese. Pistols were used and two men dangerously wounded. The police quelled the riot but further trouble is expected. The Chinese are intensely actived. The riot way out of the recent

—Jay Gould has been subpoonsed to testily on the usury question before the grand jury at New York.

—Jesse Grant, the youngest son of the President, is en route for California, in company with Senator Cole and family.

Insurance. -The legal tenders outstanding yester —Ground was broken Thursday on the Andreson, Lebanon & St. Louis Railroad at Anderson, Ind.

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—A German butcher nambed Lewis Gungle, committed suicide at Princeton, Ind., on Thursday, by shooting himself. —Martin Hem and George Buckley, were arrested at Straitsville, O., Wednes-day, for counterfeiting and was taken to With privilege of increasing the same to \$500,000.

ploded on Thursday evening, demolishing the mill and killing Henry Terwiliger, -It is stated that the Eastern Railroad has consented to pay Colonel Palmer, the mail agent who was injured by the Bea-brook disaster, \$25,000.

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